10. Seasonal conditions are fair. But rains during the week are insufficient throughout the district. Small-pox in some parts of Kadur Taluk is reported to be prevailing. Preventive measures have been undertaken by the Department of Public Health to check the spread of the disease in these parts.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. In Kadur Taluk, fodder scarcity is felt, as in the previous weeks.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied except in controlled commodities.

9. *Sowing.*—Sowing of navane and ragi are reported to be in progress in Hiriyur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Almost all the crops in dry lands are reported to be withering for want of rains in all the Taluks. It is reported by the Amildar, Molakalmuru Taluk that almost all the crops will fail if no rains are received within a week or two. The Amildar, Hosadurga Taluk has also reported that mungar crops have almost failed owing to scanty rainfall. It is also reported by the Amildar of Davangere and Harihar Taluks that groundnut crop is affected by "ಕಡಲೆಕಳ್ಳ".

Harvesting.—Harvesting of giddaragi is reported to be in progress in Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks.

10. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District, except in a few villages of Harihar Taluk where the "ಗಳಲು ಜೀನೆ" is reported to be prevailing. Veterinary Department is reported to have been addressed to check the spread of the disease. Water and fodder are available throughout the District.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE 33RD WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 13TH AUGUST 1949.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas: Rice, 2nd sort Srs. Chs.	Ragi Srs. Chs.	Horsegram Srs. Chs.	Kadale Srs. Chs.
Bangalore	Bangalore	3 0	5 0	2 4	2 4
	Hoskote	3 0	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Dodballapur	3 0	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Nelamangala	3 0	5 0	3 0	2 4
	Kankanhalli	3 0	5 0	2 8	2 4
	Magadi	3 0	5 0	2 8	2 4
	Channapatna	3 0	5 0	2 4	...
	Anekal	3 0	5 0	2 8	2 4
	Devanhalli	3 0	5 0	2 8	2 4
	Ramanagaram	3 0	5 0	2 8	2 4
Kolar	Kolar	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Bowringpet	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Chintamani	2 8	5 0	3 4	2 0
	Mulbagal	2 8	5 0	3 4	2 0
	Sidlaghatta	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Chikballapur	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Bagepalli	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Goribidnur	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Malur	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Srinivaspur	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
	Gudibanda	2 8	5 0	2 4	2 0
Tumkur	Tumkur	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Madhugiri	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Chiknayakanhalli	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Sira	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Gubbi	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Tiptur	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Pavagada	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Kunigal	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Koratagere	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
	Turuvekere	3 0	5 0	2 0	...
Mysore	Mysore	Controlled rates		2 0	...
	Chamarajnagar			2 8	...
	Hunsur			2 8	...
	Krishnarajnagar			2 0	...
	Heggaddevankote			2 8	...
	Gundlupet			2 8	...
	Nanjangud			2 8	...
	T.-Narasipur			2 8	...
	Periyapatna			2 12	...
Mandya	Mandya	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Srirangapatana	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 2
	Malvalli	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Krishnarajpet	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 8
	Nagamangala	3 0	5 0	3 0	1 4
	Maddur	3 0	5 0	2 0	1 8
	French-Rocks	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 6
Hassan	Hassan	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Manjarabad	3 0	5 0	2 4	1 4
	Arkalgud	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Belur	3 0	5 0	3 0	1 8
	Channarayapatna	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 8
	Arsikere	3 0	5 0	3 0	2 0
	Hole-Narsipur	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Alur	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
Shimoga	Shimoga	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Channagiri	3 0	5 0	3 4	1 4
	Honnali	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 8
	Shikarpur	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
	Sorab	3 0	5 0	2 0	1 2
	Sagar	3 0	5 0	2 4	1 5
	Nagar	3 0	5 0	1 4	1 4
	Thirthahalli	3 0	5 0	2 4	1 4
	Bhadravathi	3 0	5 0	2 8	1 4
Chikmagalur	Chikmagalur	Controlled rates		2 8	1 8
	Kadur			2 4	1 4
	Tarikere			2 8	1 8
	Koppa			2 4	1 4
	Mudgere			2 8	1 4
	Narasimharajapura			2 0	...
	Sringeri			2 0	1 4
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	2 8	5 0	3 0	...
	Challakere	2 8	5 0	2 12	...
	Hiriyur	2 8	5 0	2 8	...
	Holalkere	3 0	5 0	3 0	...
	Davangere	2 8	3 8	3 0	...
	Molakalmuru	2 8	5 0	3 0	...
	Jagalur	2 8	5 0	3 0	...
	Hosdurga	2 8	5 0	2 8	...
	Harihar	3 0	5 0	2 12	...

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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Dated 16th August 1949.

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Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, THE 11TH AUGUST 1949.

A total of 47 attacks with 21 deaths from Plague was returned from 16 villages in 11 taluks, in 8 districts during the week against 61 attacks with 33 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Areas reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1948 and 1947 were 70 attacks with 45 deaths and 109 attacks with 55 deaths, respectively.

A total of 35 attacks with 14 deaths from Small-pox were reported from Bangalore Civil Station and Kolar Gold Field and from Nelamangala, Channapatna, Birur, Sidlaghatta, Gundlupet, Chamarajanagar, Madhugiri, Gubbi, Devanahalli, Chintamani and Kolar Taluks.

The State remained free from Cholera Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 95 (2 in hospitals) for 4 days representing a calculated death-rate of 28·0 (21·0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 20·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 3 under Other Fevers, 3 under Phthisis, 20 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 68 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil Station, Bangalore, returned 110 deaths (26 in hospitals) for 7 days representing a calculated death-rate of 32·0 (24·4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 27·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were: Small-pox 4, Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 8, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 19 and All Other Causes 75.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 27 (9 in hospitals) for 5 days representing a calculated death-rate of 10·6 (7·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 11·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 2, and All Other Causes 24. The reported mortality was very very low.

There were 44 deaths (14 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 13·1 (8·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 15·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered: 1 under Typhoid, 5 under Other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 9 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 28 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very very low.

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